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Response Due Date
04/12/2012

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REFERENCE: FEBRUARY MONTHLY REPORT (01/01/2012 - 01/31/2012)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 2 item(s):

1. Schedule B-P supporting Line 28(a) of your report discloses refunds to individuals. It appears that your committee has refunded an amount greater than the original contributions for the following contributors: Shannon Curry, Saint Adams His Majesty, and Ron Maclachlan. Please clarify these refunds and amend your report(s) as necessary. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b) and 11 CFR § 104.3(a))
2. Itemized disbursements must include a brief statement or description of why each disbursement was made. Please amend Schedule B-P supporting Line 23 of your report to clarify the following description: "Strategy." For further guidance regarding acceptable purposes of disbursement, please refer to 11 CFR 104.3(b)(4)(i)(A).

Additional clarification regarding inadequate purposes of disbursement published in the Federal Register can be found at http://www.fec.gov/law/policy/purposeofdisbursement/inadequate_purpose_list_3507.pdf.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to